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## INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT

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SIR:

Pursuant to C.F.R. 1.97-1.99 the Applicant hereby submits the attached:

- (a) list of prior art which has been cited in the Search Reports prepared by the European Patent Office with respect to the corresponding French Patent Application and European Patent Application;
- (b) a copy of the Search Report, which is attached for the U.S. Examiner to know the first opinion of the Examiner of the E.P.O. and the portions of the references found pertinent by the latter;
- (c) a copy of the references cited under (a).

Consideration and citation of the references are respectfully solicited.

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Respectfully submitted,

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